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Subject: RE: OOOOa Reporting Deadline

A follow up question: if a unit started up on 6/19/2019 – can we still apply that logic?

Startup 6/19/2019
Compliance Period Starts 8/2/18
Compliance Period Ends 8/2/19
Report due 10/31/19

The first report would theoretically only capture data from 6/19/19-8/2/19. The next report would cover 8/2/19-8/2/20 with report due 10/31/20. Would that be okay?

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: OOOOa Reporting Deadline

Hi Mili,

The example you provide below is consistent with what is allowed in the regulation. Let me know if there are any additional questions.

Karen

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Just to confirm an example. If we have a unit that has a startup date of 8/17/18 does the logic below work?

	startup	Compliance period starts	Compliance period ends	Report due
Report 1	8/17/2018	8/2/2018	8/2/2019	10/31/2019
Report 2		8/2/2019	8/2/2020	10/31/2020
Report 3		8/2/2020	8/2/2021	10/31/2021
Report 4		8/2/2021	8/2/2020	10/31/2020
Report 5		8/2/2022	8/2/2023	10/31/2023
Report 6		8/2/2023	8/2/2020	10/31/2020

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: OOOOa Reporting Deadline

Hi Mili,

NSPS OOOOa allows you to use a common reporting schedule provided that schedules does not extend beyond the 12 month reporting period. It is acceptable to use the August 2nd compliance period, but I suggest that you review the startup dates and reporting deadlines carefully to ensure that all sites are within the 12 month reporting period with that compliance period.

I would encourage you to reach out to the delegated authority or appropriate region regarding your Title V reporting question. If you need help identifying the appropriate person, you can check the list in our small entity compliance guide. Though this guide is a bit out dated, it still provides some very useful information and contacts.

<https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2016-08/documents/2016-compliance-guide-oil-natural-gas-emissions.pdf>

Let me know if you have any additional questions.

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Karen –

I wanted to follow up with you regarding the annual reporting deadline for OOOOa. As I understand it, the compliance period is

"The initial compliance period begins on August 2, 2016, or upon initial startup, whichever is later, and ends no later than 1 year after the initial startup date for your affected facility or no later than 1 year after August 2, 2016"

We have several new OOOOa that started from between 10/16/17 and 12/27/18. Last years reporting we utilized the start up dates to determine the report deadline. Now with so many more units that started up I want to try and simplify that. I wanted to see if it was acceptable to use the August 2nd compliance period from the rule and have all of our reports due by 10/31 each year. If we use this logic our reporting period is 8/2/18 – 8/2/19 with reports due 10/31/19.

Another question is can we include the OOOOa with our Title V Annual Compliance Reports instead of separately?

Thanks.

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Hi Mili –

Good to connect today..

Karen Marsh is the current lead for OOOOa (reconsideration process) at EPA. She can probably confirm our discussion about reporting timelines under the rule and / or direct you appropriately.

Her contact information is below:

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You can also have a look at Section 1.4.3 of this EPA guidance document on the rule...

<https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2016-08/documents/2016-compliance-guide-oil-natural-gas-emissions.pdf>

I think it's pretty clear that you are able to cluster reports so long as you don't have a site go past its own "initial compliance period", which you would not if you are sweeping up everything annually.

Thanks,

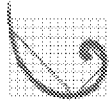
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